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### Congressman Hultgren Answers Questions about the Clean Water Act

In the last few days, I've been hearing from a number of constituents about H.R. 4965, a bill "to preserve existing rights and responsibilities with respect to waters of the United States." Above you can view my video response to these letters.

The real issue here is how environmental rules are changed. Neither the EPA nor any other government agency should be able to skirt existing procedures and make changes that will affect millions of people in the U.S. without any public input, but that's what's happening. That's why Chairman Mica introduced this bill on April 27.

Right now, the bill is waiting for a formal committee hearing in the House Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure. I am a member of the Transportation Committee, so I'll have a chance to dig into this issue. When we discuss this bill in committee and should it be brought to the House floor for a vote, I will keep your views in mind.

In Service,

Randy

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